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INTERNAT	IONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED			
	004/041723	14 December 2004	15 December 2003			
TITLE OF INVENTION Corn Plant MON88017 and Compositions and Methods for Detection Thereof						
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Beazley et al.						
Applicant	herewith submits to the United Sta	ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EC	D/US) the following items and other information:			
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
2.	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.						
4. 🗹	The US has been elected (Article 31).					
5.	A copy of the International Application					
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6.		e International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	J. 3/1(6)(2)).			
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7 V		tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	(05 H.C. O. 274(2)(2))			
7.		ernational Application under PCT Article 19				
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	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.					
8.	An English language translation of the	ne amendments to the claims under PCT Ar	ticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
9.	An oath or declaration of the inventor	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).				
10.	An English language translation of th Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary E	Examination Report under PCT			
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:						
11.	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.				
12.	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13.	A preliminary amendment.					
14. 🔲	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.					
15.	A substitute specification.					
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13 <i>ter.</i> 2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.					
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18.	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
19.	A second copy of the English langua	ge translation of the international application	n under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			

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